

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT:

Disaster Management - Natural Calamities –“Depression” in Bay of Bengal from 5.12.2010 to 8.12.2010 occurred during North-East Monsoon Season, 2010 – Measures to help the farmers, animal husbandry sector, fishermen, handloom weavers - Enhancement of relief assistance to agriculture and horticulture crops, animal husbandry sector, fishermen and handloom weavers – Orders – Issued

REVENUE (DM.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 19

Dated:18-12-2010
Read the following:

- (1) G.O.Ms.No. 2, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 17-4-2008.
- (2) G.O.Ms.No. 24, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 06.10.2009
- (3) G.O.Ms.No. 27, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 15.10.2009
- (4) G.O.Ms.No. 1124, Revenue (DM-III) Dept., dated 19.09.2007
- (5) G.O.Ms.No. 121, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 04.02.2008
- (6) From Secretary to Chief Minister Note Dt.17.12.2010.

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ORDER:

In the G.Os 1st to 5th read above, orders were issued enhancing the scale of norms for relief assistance to the eligible agricultural and animal husbandry farmers, fishermen, and handloom weavers affected due to natural disasters in the State respectively.

2. During the "Depression" in the Bay of Bengal which occurred during North-East Monsoon,2010 from 5-12-2010 to 8-12-2010, the agriculture crops such as Paddy, Groundnut, Cotton, Sugarcane, Chillies, Vegetables, Onion, Flowers, Papaya and Watermelon crops of farmers were affected severely; Milch animals, draught animals and poultry of farmers were affected severely; boats and nets of fishermen were damaged and looms, yarn, dyes, chemicals and stock of handloom weavers were severely damaged. In view of the hardships faced by the agricultural and animal husbandry farmers, fishermen and handloom weavers the Government felt that there is urgent need for enhancement of the existing norms of relief for farmers, fishermen and handloom weavers affected during the above period.

3. In view of the above, in partial modification of the orders issued in the G.O. 1st read above, the Government after careful examination hereby decided to enhance the scale of relief of input subsidy for the aforesaid crops, where the crop damage is 50% and above, during the Depression, which occurred during the period from 5.12.2010 to 8.12.2010 as follows:-

Sl. No	Crop	Existing Scale of relief assistance per hectare vide G.O.1 st read above (in Rs.)	Further revised enhancement of relief assistance towards input subsidy per hectare (in Rs)
1	Paddy, Groundnut, Cotton, Sugarcane, Chillies, Vegetables, Onion, Flowers, Papaya and Watermelon.	4,500/-	6,000/-

4. Further, in modification of the orders issued in the G.Os 2nd and 3rd read above, the Government after careful examination hereby decided to enhance the scale of financial assistance to small and marginal farmers/ agricultural labourers towards replacement of draught animals, milch animals and poultry as indicated below to the farmers affected due to the above “Depression”.

Sl.No.	Animals	Existing Scale of relief assistance vide G.O 2nd and 3rd read above (in Rs.)	Revised enhancement of relief assistance (in Rs.)
1	<u>Milch Animals</u> [i]Buffalos/Cow (ii) Sheep/Goat	Rs.10,000/- Rs.1,000/-	15,000/- 2,000/-
2	<u>Draught Animals</u> Calf	Rs.5,000/-	10,000/-
3	Poultry	Rs.30/- per bird	Rs.40/- per bird

5. Further, in partial modification of the orders issued in the G.O. 4th read above, the Government after careful examination hereby decided to enhance the scale of relief for the aforesaid fishing material during the above “Depression” as follows:-

SL NO	FISHING MATERIALS	EXISTING SCALE OF RELIEF ASSISTANCE VIDE G.O. 4th READ ABOVE (in Rs.)	REVISED ENHANCEMENT OF RELIEF ASSISTANCE TO THE FISHERMEN (in Rs.)
1	For repair of partially damaged traditional craft + Net.	Rs.2,500/-	Rs.5,000/-
2	Replacement of fully damaged traditional craft + Net.	Rs.7,500/-	Rs.10,000/-

6. Further, in partial modification of the orders issued in the G.O. 5th read above, the Government after careful examination hereby decided to enhance the scale of relief assistance for the aforesaid Handloom weaving materials damaged during the above “Depression” as follows:-

SL NO	HANDLOOM MATERIALS	EXISTING SCALE OF RELIEF ASSISTANCE VIDE G.O. 5th READ ABOVE (in Rs.)	REVISED ENHANCEMENT OF RELIEF ASSISTANCE TO THE HANDLOOM WEAVERS (in Rs.)
1	Replacement of loom	Rs.2,000/-	Rs.5,000/-
2	Damage to Yarn, Dies, Chemicals & Stock.	Rs.2,000/- Per loom	Rs.5,000/- Per loom

7. The aforesaid enhancement of input subsidy to agricultural crops, relief assistance to animal husbandry sector, fishermen and handloom weavers affected due to natural disasters would come into force with effect from 05.12.2010 onwards and for the future natural disasters also.

8. The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, A.P., Hyderabad, the Director of Horticulture, A.P., Hyderabad, the Director of Animal Husbandry, the Commissioner of Fisheries, and Commissioner of Handlooms and Textiles are requested to take action accordingly.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Exp.Rev) Dept. vide their U.O.No.14878 PFS (FP)/446/A2/Exp.Rev/2010, Dt.18.12.2010.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr. T. RADHA,
COMMISSIONER FOR DISASTER MANAGEMENT &
EX-OFFICIO PRL. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To

The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, A.P., Hyderabad

The Director of Horticulture, A.P., Hyderabad

The Director of Animal Husbandry, Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Fisheries, Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Handlooms and Textiles, Hyderabad

Copy to:

The Chief Secretary to Govt.

The Special Chief Secretary to C.M.

The Secretary to Chief Minister

The Spl.Secretary to Chief Minister

The Addl. Secretary to Chief Minister

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Finance Dept.

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., A & C Dept.

The APC & Special Chief Secretary to Govt.,(Horti) A & C Dept.

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., AH, DD & F Dept.

The Prl. Secretary to Govt., Industries and Commerce Dept.

All the District Collectors in the State,.

The Commissioner of I & PR Department., Hyderabad.- to issue a press note to the Electronic and Print media.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad,.

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Finance (Exp.Rev) Dept.

The P.S. to Minister for Revenue

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The P.S. to Minister for Animal Husbandry,

The P.S. to Minister for Fisheries.

The PS to Minister for Handlooms and Textiles

The Accounts Officer, Revenue (DM) Dept.

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SECTION OFFICER.